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From: Philip McArthur <philmcarthur@me.com>
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 2:07 PM
To: City Council
Subject: Proposed boycott of Hewlett Packard

Dear City Councilors, Mayor and Vice Mayor,

I am a 40+ year resident of Cambridge, and I am writing to ask that you please vote for the resolution to boycott Hewlett Packard. I strongly disagree with the Israeli-American Coalition for Action. I do not see this resolution as anti-semitic, any more than I saw the boycott of South Africa during apartheid as anti-white. The purpose of the boycott is to pressure Israel to restore the rights of the Palestinian people. Please support the resolution and do not give in to the distorted rhetoric of the I-ACA.

Sincerely,

Philip McArthur